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SUBJECT: TAURUS RAILROAD CONFERENCE

1. IRAQI MEDIA ARE PAYING INCREASING ATTENTION TO 15TH TAURUS RAILWAY ORGANIZATION CONFERENCE TO COMMENCE IN BAGHDAD ON OCTOBER 30TH AND TO LAST FOR ONE WEEK. ACCORDING TO MEDIA AND TO TURKISH EMBASSY, IRAQI'S MAIN GOALS RELATE TO IMPROVING TRANSPORTATION BY RAIL THROUGH TURKEY OF INDUSTRIAL GOODS AND, TO A LESSER EXTENT, AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES COMING FROM EUROPE.

2. IN ADDITION TO THE TAURUS MEMBER NATIONS, REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE ARAB LEAGUE COMMUNICATIONS SECRETARIAT IN CAIRO AND FROM THE WORLD FEDERATION OF RAILWAYS WILL ALSO ATTEND.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: USINT HAS BEEN UNABLE TO FIND UNCLASSIFIED

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ANY GOOD BACKGROUND MATERIAL ON TAURUS ORGANIZATION.

GIVEN GROWING INTEREST OF US RAILROAD EQUIPMENT
MANUFACTURERS AND RAILWAY TECHNOLOGY FIRMS IN ARAB
AND ME RAILWAYS, BELIEVE IT WOULD BE USEFUL IF ANY
ADDRESSEE WHICH KNOWS OF SUCH MATERIAL WOULD TELL
REST OF US HOW TO OBTAIN IT.
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